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- Transmittal (3 pgs.) in duplicate;
- Amendment and Reply Under 37 CFR 1.116 (9 pgs.);
- Terminal Disclaimer of U.S. Patent No. 6,156,270 and attachment (5 pgs.);
- Terminal Disclaimer of U.S. Patent No. 6,767,510 and attachment (5 pgs.);
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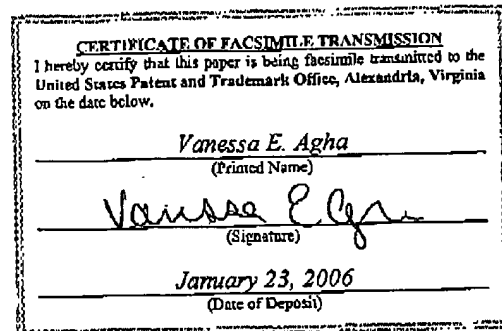
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] Amendment and Reply Under 37 CFR 1.116 (9 pgs.)
- [] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.
- [] Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed.
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Respectfully submitted,

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